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	000069/US" on page 1 of the attached inventors' Declaration corresponds to					
	Appl. No. 10/594,881 filed September 29, 2006 entitled "ARRANGEMENT AND					
	METHOD FOR DETERMINING POSITIONS OF THE TEATS OF A MILKING					
	ANIMAL."					
		English language specification, claims, and Abstract with ( )				
		sheets of drawings.				
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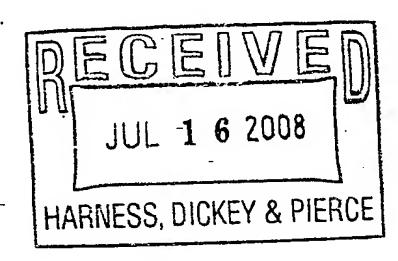
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- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 09/29/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/29/2006
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- Claims filed on 09/29/2006
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• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

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